

## House Resolution No. 3138

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who bring glory and honor upon themselves and this great state because of the excellence of their endeavors; and

**Whereas**, Mary Mabrey Jones of St. Louis, Missouri, will be honored at the Greenville Alumni Banquet to be held on May 28, 2005; and

**Whereas**, Mary Jones has brought considerable distinction to herself as one of only two living individuals known to have graduated from Greenville High School in 1930; and

**Whereas**, during the Greenville Alumni Banquet, Mary Jones will have the opportunity to reminisce about the years gone by and the wonderful moments she shared with classmates while preparing herself for the challenges that would await her in the adult world; and

**Whereas**, a seventy-five-year alumnus of Greenville High School, Mary Jones first distinguished herself on January 14, 1913, when she came into this world the infant daughter of George and Esther (Bennett) Mabrey of Chaonia, Missouri; and

**Whereas**, following graduation from Greenville High School, Mary Jones taught in rural Wayne County schools near Chaonia and soon fell in love and married Frank Jones on March 22, 1935; and

**Whereas**, Mary Jones has been blessed with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include her children, Bob Jones and Sue Jones Berger; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren, all of whom have brought great pride and happiness into her life; and

**Whereas**, Mary Jones derives a tremendous amount of spiritual fulfillment through her affiliation with the First Baptist Church of Lemay, where she has served as a Sunday school teacher for more than fifty years:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Mary Jones upon this well-deserved recognition and in wishing her many happy and rewarding years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mary Mabrey Jones, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by Speaker Rod Jetton  
District No. 156

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do  
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 3138, adopted May 10, 2005.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker